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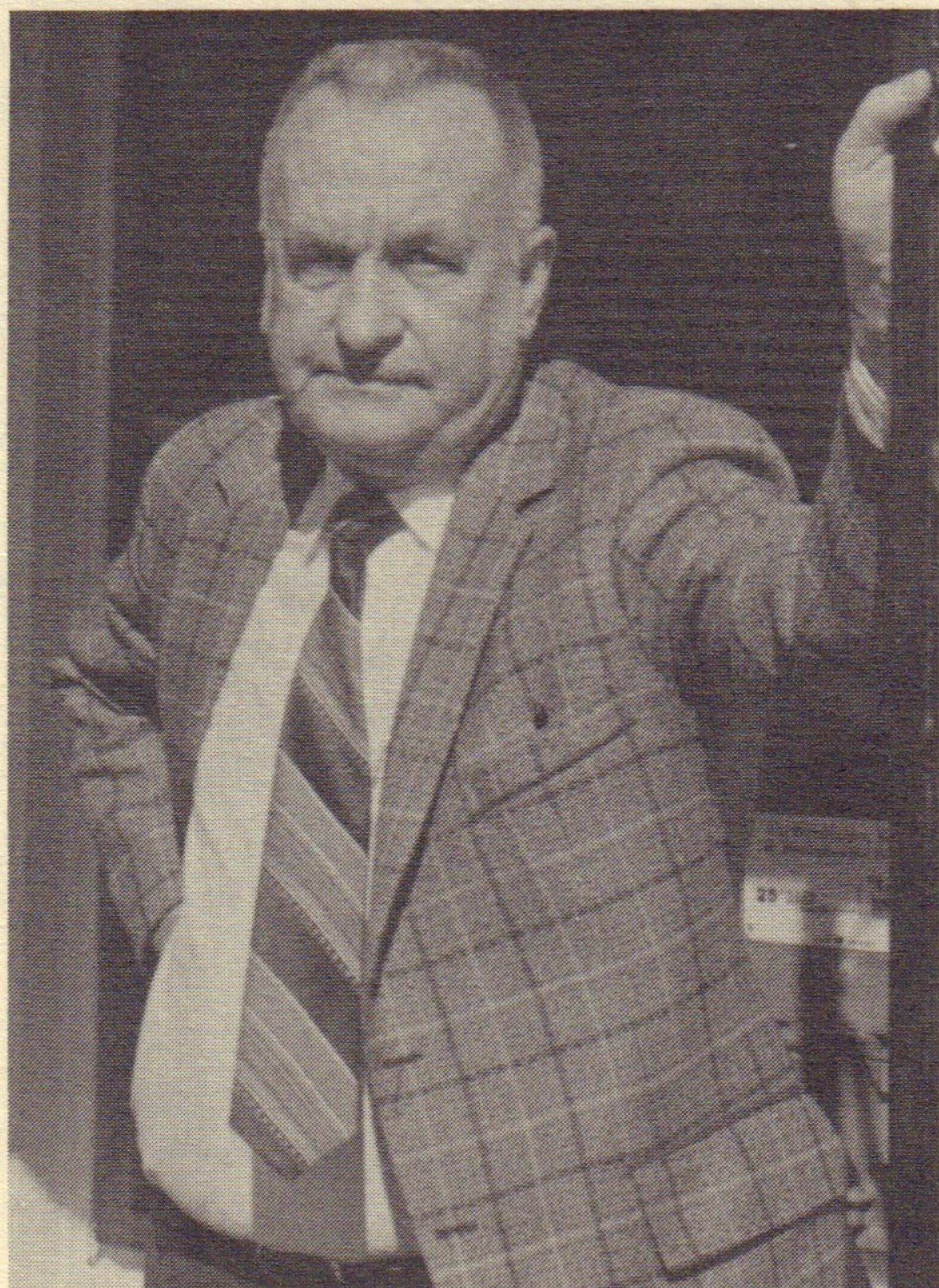
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An Interview with Victor Poole

State Board of Education, 7th District 1963-1988



Victor Poole in front of Miss Melissa's Cafe in Moundville

A poster hanging on the wall inside the Bank of Moundville reads "1,000 years ago Moundville was the cultural center of the Southeast." Today this bank serves as the hub for this small Alabama town of slightly over 1300 people. A flurry of activity continues at the bank as people from all walks of life,—farmers, businessmen, educators, and even some of the state's most important politicians—come here to see one person, the Chairman of the Board of the bank and a member of the State Board of Education, Victor Poole.

Poole, recognized as one of the longtime political leaders in the state, is the "dean" of the State Board having served as a member for 25 years. In many ways Poole is a paradox. He is unquestionably one of the most outstanding and powerful men in the state. He has never lost an election and in north Hale County, he once carried 97% of the votes. Those who know him best describe Poole as a quiet, soft-spoken man, fiercely loyal and always committed. Poole is feared by some, loved by many, but always respected. He tells you he has to work harder than most people because he is not as bright as some. Anyone who believes this will probably find themselves outmaneuvered and probably on the short end of any dealings with Victor Poole.

DR. TOM UMPHREY, AJCCA PRESIDENT, JOINS ME IN DEDICATING THE FINAL ISSUE OF THE 1987-88 AJCCA JOURNAL TO SHELTON STATE'S REPRESENTATIVE ON THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, VICTOR POOLE. POOLE'S SERVICE TO THE STATE HAS SPANNED 25 YEARS AND FIVE GOVERNORS. POOLE WAS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD WHEN THE TWO-YEAR COLLEGES WERE ESTABLISHED BY GOV. GEORGE WALLACE IN THE 1960'S. TODAY, HE IS STILL ONE OF THE SYSTEM'S STAUCHEST SUPPORTERS. WE, AT SHELTON STATE, RECOGNIZE WHAT HE HAS DONE FOR OUR COLLEGE AND FOR THE TWO-YEAR SYSTEM. THIS IS OUR SMALL WAY OF SAYING "THANKS."

Lucy Kubiszyn

The question is often asked of him, why would someone of his political stature choose to hold for 25 years a seemingly less important office like the State Board of Education? The position pays its members very little. Poole, over the years, has obviously had other political options, ones which could have been more lucrative.

This is obviously a question Poole has been asked many times. "To me," he replies emphatically, "this is the highest office in the state. I'd rather be on the State Board than be governor, senator, or hold any other office," Poole says.

"Not many people are privileged to work with the backbone of this country, the school people," Poole says. "All of my family have been educators."

Poole's friendship with Alabama's former governors, Lurleen and George Wallace, goes back many years to their childhood days in Greene County.

"They were older than me, closer to the age of my brother and sister," Poole says. "We lived close to each other and swam in the same creek. I was the little kid they'd throw rocks at."

And, it was this childhood friend, George C. Wallace, who became governor and first appointed Poole to the State Board of Education in 1963. "It was an appointed board at that time. I'm the only one still on the Board who has served under an elected and appointed State Board of Education. Believe me, there is as much difference between the two as night and day. With an appointed board, you do what the governor says or he will 'unappoint' you. They say the advantage is the governor has more control. From the standpoint of the public,

there's no doubt the elected board is more attuned to the needs and wishes of the people of the state," Poole says.

In reference to Gov. Hunt's proposal to place higher education under an appointed ACHE board, Poole adds "I don't think the Governor has a chance of getting his proposal through the Legislature. I would really like for him to concentrate on program approval through ACHE."

"Actually, I don't see a lot of shift in the government in this Republican administration. I think, like most governors, Gov. Hunt would like to have sole authority over education."

"Right now, we're at the crossroads for funding of education," Poole says. "People are willing to increase the level of funding if we present our case correctly. I would like very much for us to improve the services we offer with any additional funds. I know salaries are important but increased services must be our top priority."

This year I think we will probably see an increase in the income tax. It will pass the Legislature rather than an increase in property taxes. Property taxes won't help the smaller counties much," Poole says.

"I wish we had the money so we could immediately meet the needs of business and industry in the state. Right now we don't have the equipment or retraining money needed to stay current with the needs of industry in this state."

"In the future our schools will become the first two years of college in Alabama. The public is going to demand more schooling for our students, to do something to improve education in the state," Poole says.

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"The big thing we have going for us in the two-year colleges is our faculty. A student is guaranteed teachers who have masters degrees. There are no graduate assistants."

"Overall, I think our system works well. I don't see the need for many changes. There are currently 65,000 students attending a two-year college in Alabama. The Chancellor's office is run on a bare-bone budget. We hear a lot of talk about consolidating schools. That could be done now under the present scheme of things. However, I've actually put it on paper, and I don't see a great savings."

"There are some people who want to 'gut' the system, literally close it down. They would like to lay off teachers and shut the doors of the two-year colleges," Poole says.

People may wonder how Poole has survived in politics for 25 years. "I'm basically a people person," he adds. "I love people and I love my job."

His brown eyes narrow as he looks up from his desk. "I may be too opinionated for my own good. However, over the years I've found I work better under pressure, and I like to always know what my options are."

From The Editor's Desk

by Lucy Kubiszyn

This is the final issue of the 1987-88 *AJCCA Journal*. As this year's editor, I want to thank each campus correspondent for their help with this publication. A special thanks to Tom Umphrey, AJCCA president, for allowing me this special opportunity and to Shelton president Dr. Leo Sumner for his support. I'm looking forward to seeing each of you at the April convention in Tuscaloosa. We think the program is excellent, and the new Bear Bryant Continuing Education Center is something you will want to see for yourself. This issue of the *Journal* deals specifically with the convention, speakers and programs.

Tom's Thoughts



Dr. Tom Umphrey
1987-88 AJCCA President
Shelton State Community College

Each year Alabama's two-year college system seems to land in the forefront of several legislative agendas. This year is no exception. The governor's higher education reforms, as you know, include removing the State Board of Education, an elected body, from its present governing status. In its place will be a board appointed by the governor.

Some of you may remember the Alabama State Board of Education was at one time an appointed board. During the 1970's it was changed to a board elected by the people of this state.

Your AJCCA Executive Committee has gone on record supporting the present governing structure for the two-year colleges - the Alabama State Board of Education, an elected body.

However, the question still remains. Why can't the two-year college system be left alone?

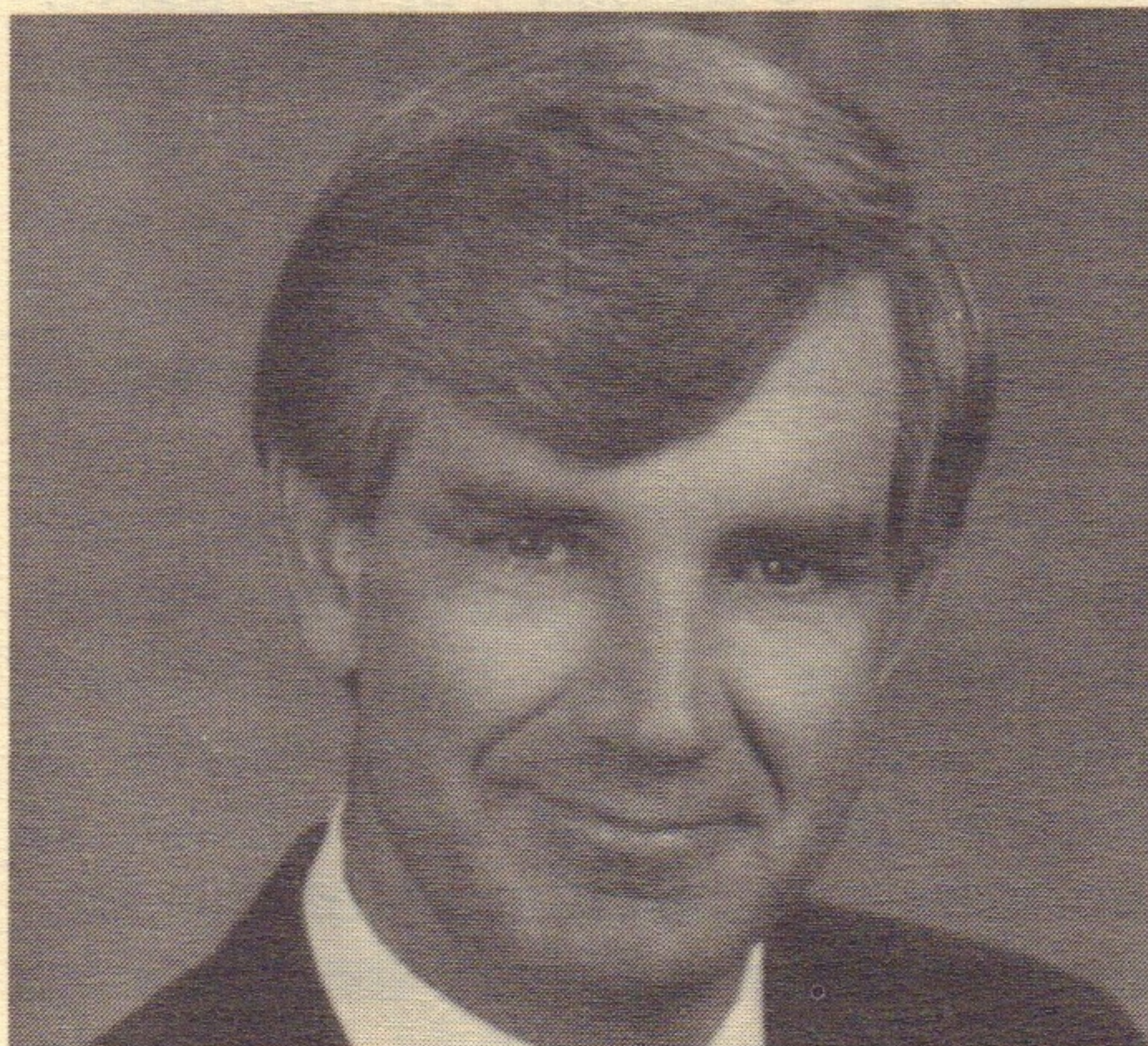
Let us continue to do our job of educating the people of this state. Within our local communities, the two-year colleges are a vital link to an educated Alabama. It is difficult to find anyone who does not think out colleges do a good job and are needed in their communities.

With all the controversy, you, as a professional educator in the system, must remain loyal to your students, community and college. The Alabama Junior and Community College Association pledges its loyalty to you. This year is critical to the Alabama Two-Year College System. As the AJCCA history reflects, our organization remains the only professional link which has never been broken. AJCCA and the annual professional convention has stood the test of time. Again, this organization is offering you the opportunity to meet with your friends, colleagues and other professionals to exchange ideas and information.

Please support AJCCA with your attendance at the convention. Your colleagues have been working hard all year to provide you with excellent commission and group interest meetings. The program is great, the meeting place will impress you, and most of all, your colleagues will be there. Let's make this AJCCA convention the best ever.

Tom Umphrey

Convention Keynote Speaker Lawrence "Larry" Tyree, Chancellor Dallas County Community College District



Larry Tyree

Selected through a 1986 nationwide study as "one of the 100 most effective college and university presidents in the United States," Dr. Lawrence "Larry" Tyree will be the keynote speaker for the 1988 Alabama Junior and Community College Association's annual convention in Tuscaloosa, April 7-8.

Dr. Tyree recently joined the Dallas Community College System as Chancellor. Before moving to the Texas city, Tyree served as president of Gulf Coast Community College in Panama City, Florida, for 11 years.

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Schedule

Theme:
AJCCA - A Vital Link
to an Educated Alabama
Thursday, April 7, 1988
Bear Bryant Continuing
Education Center

9:00 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Registration Bear Bryant Continuing Education Center		Greetings from the Chancellor's Office
9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.	Exhibits Bryant Center Theatre Foyer and Prefunction Area		Introduction of Speaker: Dr. James Chasteen
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Coffee		Keynote Address: "Transition to the Future" Dr. Larry Tyree Chancellor, Dallas County Community College System
10:00 a.m. - 12 noon	General Session Bryant Center Theatre President: Dr. Tom Umphrey, AJCCA President Welcome: Mr. Al DuPont, Mayor of Tuscaloosa Recognition of Platform Guests Greetings from the University of Alabama Greetings from the State Board of Education	12:00 noon - 2:30 p.m.	Lunch - On your own View Exhibits
		2:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Commission Meetings
		4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	View Exhibits
		5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	Reception Sheraton Capstone Ballroom Student Entertainment HOSTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA

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He is currently chairman of the Board of Directors for the American Association of Community and Junior Colleges for 1987-88.

Tyree has also served as chairman, Committee on Educational Technology, American Association of Community and Junior Colleges, 1986-87, and is a member, Commission on the Future of Community Colleges: A Study of Access and Excellence in Higher Education, AACJC 1986-88. He was president of the President's Academy, AACJC, 1984-85.

Florida governor Bob Graham appointed Tyree to the State Board of Independent Colleges, 1984-87. From 1982-84 he served in the Executive Council of the Commission on Colleges, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, and was a member of the Commission on Colleges, SACS, 1979-1984. He also served on

the SACS board of directors, 1982-84.

In Panama City, he has recently been a member of the Governing Board, CROSSROADS/The Recovery Center in Panama City. He has also served as president, Bay County Chamber of Commerce. From 1981-83 he was a member of the Executive Board of Directors, Committee of 100, Bay County Chamber of Commerce. He has also served as vice president for development, Board of Directors, Bay Arts and Humanities Council.

Tyree has also been charter president, Community Advisory Board, Bay Medical Center, Inc. of Panama City. He has also been active in Rotary International and served as the group representative of the District Governor of Rotary International District 694 from 1979-81. In 1984 he received Rotary International's highest honor, "The Paul Harris

Fellow Award."

Last June Tyree was elected as one of 60 Americans to be invited by the Secretary of Defense to participate in the 51st Joint Civilian Orientation Conference (JCOC51).

In 1983 he was selected as a member of the delegation of U.S. community college presidents and trustees to visit Taiwan as "Honored Guests" of the Republic of China.

Dr. Tyree began his college education with an A.A. degree from Pensacola Junior College. From there he attended the University of Florida, receiving his Bachelor of Arts degree and Masters of Education from the institution.

In 1972 he received an Ed.D from Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana. His thesis was "The History and Cooperative Relationships of a Community College and an Upper Level University."

Commission Meetings

Thursday, April 7, 1988
2:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Commission On Administration Meeting 2:30 p.m.

Presider: Dr. Nathan Hodges,
George Wallace Community
College, Dothan
Dr. Jim Krudop, Lurleen B.
Wallace State Junior College

Program: "Alabama and the Alabama
College System - Ready for
Business and Industry"
Mr. Jim Sullivan, President,
Alabama Public Service
Commission

BUSINESS SESSION
4:20 p.m.

Commission on Faculty 2:20 - 4:30 p.m.

Presider: Rebecca Corder
Speaker: Lana Silverthorn
"We're All in This Together"
Director of the Writing Program
The University of South Alabama
Mobile, Alabama

Commission on Support Personnel 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Presider: Ms. Beverly Smith, Chair
Commission on Support
Personnel
Calhoun State

2:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Speaker:

Ms. Patricia J. Seymour
(Retired) Editor of Publications
Office of University Relations
The University of Alabama
Tuscaloosa, Alabama

SESSION I
"Aim high: Aim high: Be All
You Can Be!"

Break (5 minutes)

SESSION II
"You Will Make a
Difference"

4:15 - 4:30 p.m.

Business Session
(Election of Commission Vice-
Chairperson)

Commission on Students 2:30 p.m.

Presider: Lydianne Merritt
Wallace Community College
Dothan

Topic: "Positive Image and Motivation
Brings Students"

Speaker: Dr. Charles Britt
Auburn University
Auburn, Alabama

Interest Group Meetings

Friday, April 8, 1988

Commission on Administration 8:30 a.m.

The Deans of Students and Business Managers will have joint sessions for the interest group meetings. The sessions will follow.

Presider:	Dr. Jim Krudop, Lurleen B. Wallace State Junior College Mr. Roger Chandler, Patrick Henry Junior College
8:30 a.m.	"Marketing and the Two-Year College" Dr. Edward M. Smith, Professor of Marketing College of Commerce and Business Administration The University of Alabama
10:00 a.m.	Break
10:20 a.m.	"Time and Stress Management" Dr. Hazel F. (Topsy) Ezell, Associate Professor of Marketing College of Commerce and Business Administration The University of Alabama

Resource and Development Officers Interest Group 8:30 a.m.

Speaker:	Dr. Robert Leigh Professor of Education, Department of Curriculum and Instruction; Chairman of Adult Education The University of Alabama President of the Alabama Association of Public Continuing Education
Title of Speech:	"How to Work With People Better"

Public Relations Interest Group 8:30 a.m.

Presider:	Lucy Kubiszyn Director of Public Relations Shelton State Community College
8:30 - 9:00 a.m. Speaker:	Julie DeBardelaben "News from the Chancellor's Office"
9:00 - 10:15 a.m. Speaker:	Jean O'Connor President, O'Connor Public Relations Tuscaloosa, Alabama "Successful Special Events on Events Management"
10:15 - 10:30 a.m.	Break
10:30 - 12 noon Speaker:	Charles Groover School of Communication University of Alabama "Improving Your Publications Through Desk-Top Printing"
12 noon - 12:30 p.m.	Business Meeting

Commission on Faculty

8:30 a.m.

Faculty Commission Interest Group Programs

1. VISUAL ARTS

Presider: Larry Manning
Recorder: John Powell

Program: "The Arts in Europe - Studies Abroad
8:30 - 10:00 a.m. Mr. John Kehoe
Director, Studies Abroad
The University of Georgia

10:15 - 12:00 noon "Contemporary American Ceramics"
Mr. Ron Dale
The University of Mississippi

The visual arts interest group will meet at the Kentuck Museum in the Northport Civic Center where they will also see "George Orr: Presentation and Exhibition on 'The Mad Potter of Biloxi.' "

Also the Kentuck Museum Gallery exhibition "Alabama Crafts - Focus on Furniture," an exhibit of furniture in both contemporary and traditional forms by Alabama's woodworkers.

2. BUSINESS

Presider: Dr. Odessa P. Powell
Recorder: Mrs. Eva Bell

Program: "Building a Career with Excellence in Business"
Ms. Jackie Donald

3. COMPUTER INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Presider: Gerald Kelly
Recorder: Linda McGuirt

Program: Workshop in Artificial Intelligence/Expert Systems
Dr. Joseph M. Mellichamp, Professor of Management Science
The University of Alabama

4. ENGLISH

Presider: Dr. Joyce Jolly
Recorder: Dr. Alice Villadson

Program: Oral Interpretation and Junior College English Instruction
Dr. Alan Bales, Professor Emeritus
The University of Alabama

"Tongues of Flame" by Mary Ward Brown
Production by Shelton State Readers Theatre
Colloquium with Mary Ward Brown, author of *Tongues of Flame*, winner of the Hemingway Award, Best New Fiction, 1986.

5. ALLIED HEALTH

Presider: John E. Blue, II
Recorder: Ms. Jane Evans

Program: "State of the Health of Alabama"
Dr. Claude Earl Fox, M.D., M.P.H., State Health Officer
State Department of Public Health

6. NURSING

Presider: Mary Ann Pearson
Recorder: Gladys Hill

Program: "Maxillo-Facial Surgery"
8:30 - 10:00 a.m. Dr. Ronald McIlwain,
Maxillo-Facial Surgeon
Tuscaloosa, Alabama

10:30 - 12:00 noon "The Professional Image"
Ms. Linda Beeson

7. HEALTH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION, RECREATION

Presider: Xonnie Johnson

Program: "Pool Facilities Management"
8:30 - 10:00 a.m. Mr. Roger Solomon, PARA
Birmingham, Alabama

10:30 - 12:00 noon "Purchase, Use, and Care of the Human Resources Lab"
Dr. Joe Smith
The University of Alabama

8. LEARNING RESOURCES

Presider: Debbie Chaffin
Recorder: Sully Cochrane

Program: "New SACS Criteria: Implications for Learning Resources Centers"
Ms. Eleanor Frelick

9. MATHEMATICS

Presider: Huey Barrett
Recorder: Suzanne Bryan

Program: "Contemporary Issues in Teaching Mathematics"
Dr. Henry Miller
Assistant Head, Mathematics Department
The University of Alabama

Commission on Faculty

meetings listing continued

10. MUSIC

Presider: Dr. Rose Johnson
Recorder: Ms. Rebecca Lancaster

Program: "Revising the Music Discipline
Entries in the Alabama College
System Course Directory"

Panel: Dr. Rose Johnson, Interest Group
Chair, AJCCA; Dr. James K.
Simpson, President, AACMA;
Mr. Chris Gordon, President-
Elect, AACMA; a representative
of the Alabama Teachers of
Music Theory; and a represen-
tative of the Course Directory
Revision Committee.

Note: The Music Interest Group will meet jointly with the
Association of Alabama College Music Administrators
(AACMA).

11. READING

Presider: Elizabeth Andress
Recorder: Dion Cook

Program: "We are all teachers of Reading
and Writing: Thoughts and
Strategies for Putting Writing
into the Reading classrooms"
Mr. Ronald Buchanan, English
Instructor
Auburn University at
Montgomery

12. BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Presider: Virginia Latta
Recorder: Cathy McDonald

Program: "Strategic Planning for Senior
and Junior College Biological
Science Consortium"
Dr. Don Fattig

13. CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Presider: Mike Murphy, Northwest Junior
College

Tour of BF Goodrich plant and
UA Engineering School

Program: "Preparing the Engineering
Student in Physics and
Chemistry"

14. BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

Presider: Dr. Rod Britt
Recorder: Amelia Pearson

Program: "Abuse"
David Markem, Chief of Police
Aliceville, Alabama

15. SOCIAL SCIENCES

Presider: Dr. Gary Wolfskill
Recorder: Session 1: Mr. Bob Taunton
Session 2: Dr. Bennett Jordan

Program: Session 1
8:30 - 10:00 a.m. "Alabama's Role in Shaping the
Constitution"
Guest Speaker: Dr. Bill Barnard,
Chairperson,
Department of History
The University of Alabama

Panelists:
Dr. James Coats, Faulkner
Dr. Mark Freshwater, Snead
Dr. Phillip Royal, Jefferson State

Session 2
10:30 - 12:00 noon "States' Rights and Federalism"
Guest Speaker: Dr. Wythe Holt,
Professor of Law
University of Alabama School of
Law

Panelists:
Mr. Lon Alexander, Shelton State
Mr. Gerald Mange, Wallace
State - Selma
Dr. Ray Pulliam, Alexander City

16. ENGINEERING/TECHNOLOGY

Presider: John Tow
Recorder: Ron Funderburg

Program: "Transferability"
Dr. Lonnie B. White, Director and
Associate Professor of Depart-
ment of Engineering Technology
Programs
The University of Alabama

Commission on Students
April 8, 1988
8:30 a.m.

ADMISSIONS, RECORDS AND COUNSELING

Presider: Jean Dagostin
 Topic: "Leadership + People = Students"
 Speaker: Bobby Johnson, Birmingham-Southern

10:30 - 12:00 noon
ADMISSIONS AND RECORDS

Presider: Brenda Barnes
 Topic: "The Ability to Benefit"
 Speaker: Dr. John Johnson, Associate Degree For Academic Affairs, Alabama Department of Post Secondary Education

COUNSELING

Presider: Jean Dagostin
 Topic: "Counselors and the Law"
 Speaker: Dr. Albert Miles, the University of Alabama

8:30 - 10:00 a.m.

FINANCIAL AID OFFICERS/VETERANS' AFFAIRS JOB PLACEMENT/ COOPERATIVE EDUCATION

Presider: Sandra Hamby
 Topic: "Developing a Student/Employee Handbook (A Workstudy Program)"
 Speaker: Patricia Lloyd
 AND
 Topic: "ACT Update"
 Speaker: Mary Hendrix, Director of ACT's Financial Aid Services

10:30 - 12:00 noon

FINANCIAL AID OFFICERS/VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Presider: Sandra Hamby
 Topic: "Financial Aid/Veterans' Affairs Update Information"
 Speaker: Robert A. Clayton, Auburn University-Montgomery

JOB PLACEMENT/COOPERATIVE EDUCATION

Presider: Patricia Lloyd
 Topic: "Cooperative Education Funding"
 Speaker: Roy Greg, Southeastern Cooperative Education Training Center

Commission on Support Personnel
Secretarial Interest Group
8:30 a.m.

Presider: Ms. Janice Sullivan, Chair Secretarial Interest Group Brewer State

8:30 - 10:00 a.m.
 Topic: "Strategic Management"
 Speaker: Dr. Lonnie Strickland, Director of Management and Business Administration The University of Alabama

10:00 - 10:30 a.m.
 Business Session (Election of Interest Group Vice-Chairperson) Coffee Break

10:30 - 12:00 noon
 Topic: "Stress and the New American Woman"
 Speaker: Dr. Esther Cava, Professor of Psychology The University of Alabama

Service/Maintenance/Auxiliary Interest Group
Friday, April 8, 1988
8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Presider: Ms. Kay Dodson, Chair Service/Maintenance/Auxiliary Interest Group Northwest Alabama State

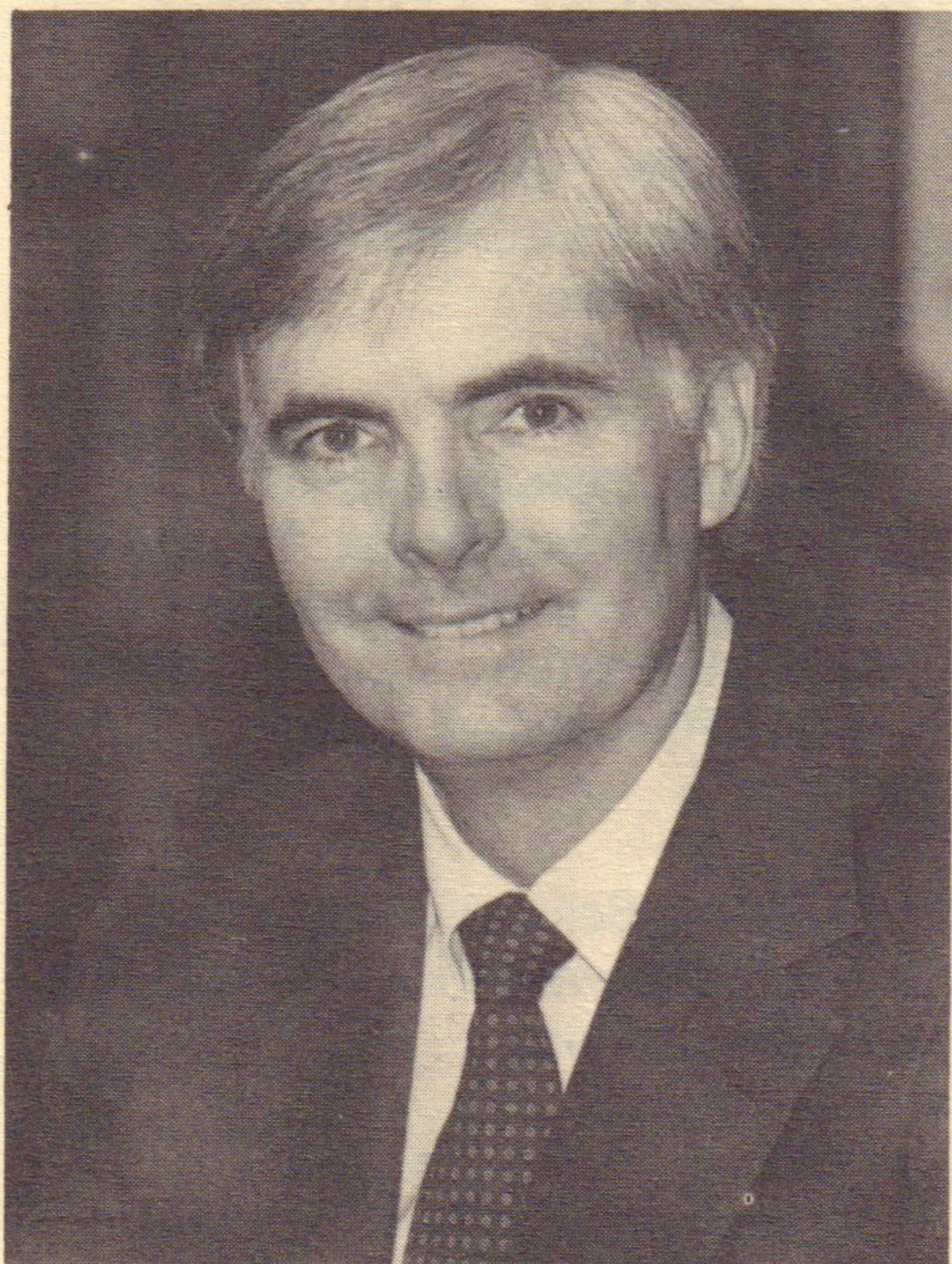
8:30 - 10:00 a.m.
BOOKSTORE PERSONNEL
 Topic: "Round-Table Discussion"
 Speaker: Mr. Bill Deal, Co-owner Alabama Bookstore Tuscaloosa, Alabama

MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL
 Topic: "Round-Table Discussion"
 Speaker: Mr. Bill Moss Athletic Director, Northwest Alabama Junior State

10:00 - 10:30 a.m.
 Business Session (Election of Interest Group Vice-Chairperson) Coffee Break

10:30 - 12:00 noon **DISCUSSIONS CONTINUE**

About the Speakers



James Sullivan

Dr. James Sullivan

**President
Alabama Public
Service Commission**

Jim Sullivan, Andalusia, Alabama, was appointed to the Alabama Public Service Commission in 1983. In his first campaign for any public office, he ran for and was elected to the presidency of the Public Service Commission for a full term in 1984. He currently serves as a member of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, the Southeastern Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, and the Alabama Liquefied Petroleum Gas Board.

Sullivan received a bachelor of business administration in banking and finance from the University of Missis-

sippi in 1968 and a master of arts in banking and finance from the University of Alabama. In 1973 he received a judicial doctorate in law from the University of Alabama.

He serves on the board of directors of the Southeastern Home Furnishings Association and the Andalusia City Board of Education. He has also served as president of the Andalusia Area Chamber of Commerce and Lurleen B. Wallace State Junior College Foundation Board. He is also a member of the State Bar of Alabama.

In the past he has served on the board of directors for the Andalusia Rotary Club and Covington County Junior Miss Program. He has received a number of awards including the "Institute of Management Award" from the National Association of Retail Dealers of America.



Bill Moss

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Maintenance Personnel

Bill Moss, athletic director, Northwest Alabama Junior College, will serve as moderator for the maintenance personnel interest group during the AJCCA conference.

Moss, an instructor of business at the college, also coaches men's and women's basketball and women's softball. He is also chairman of the scholarship committee for the college.

Jean O'Connor

**President
O'Connor Public Relations**

Jean O'Connor will address the public relations interest group on events management, or planning successful events.

She is president of O'Connor Public Relations, Tuscaloosa. One of her major accounts is Bromberg and Co., Inc. She has handled their major store openings in Huntsville, Montgomery, and Jacksonville, Florida.

In the past she has planned events such as the inaugural of the lieutenant governor of the state, the black-tie dedication of the new Moody Music Building on the UA campus, Christmas open house and Spring Fling for the Tuscaloosa Galleria, as well as several political fundraising campaigns.

For nine years she was director of events and assistant director of development for the University of Alabama. In that position she scheduled press conferences, conventions, and bowl games.

At the present she is teaching a leadership development class at Shelton State and is sponsor for the Shelton Ambassadors, a student public relations group.



Jean O'Connor

She received her BS degree in Human Development from the University and has completed postgraduate work in public relations and marketing. She received a certificate in supervisory management from the American Management Association.

In 1982 she was the Distinguished Alumna for the University of Alabama.

A.J. "Lonnie" Strickland, III

Secretarial Interest Group

A.J. "Lonnie" Strickland, III, director of management and business administration at the University of Alabama, will address the secretarial interest group on "strategic management". He was selected as an Outstanding Professor in the College of Commerce in 1974 and, in 1979, was selected to receive the Outstanding Commitment to Teaching Award for the University.

He is a graduate of the University of Georgia (BS), Georgia Institute of Technology (MS), and Georgia State University (Ph.D.).

He is the co-author of *Strategic Management Concepts and Cases*, edition, with Dr. Art Thompson.



Lonnie Strickland, III



Esther Cava

Mike Murphy

Chemistry/Physics Interest Group

Mike Murphy, Northwest Junior College, Phil Campbell, Interest Group Chairperson for Chemical and Physical Sciences, reports his group will tour the B.F. Goodrich Tire Plant in Tuscaloosa during the AJCCA convention. They will also visit the College of Engineering at the University.



Pat Seymour

William W. Deal, III

Bookstore Personnel

Bill Deal, a partner in Alabama Book Store, Inc., Tuscaloosa, will be part of a roundtable discussion for the bookstore personnel interest group.

Deal has been in the college textbook industry approximately 18 years and currently serves as co-manager of Alabama Bookstore's wholesale operation. He is currently president of the Alabama College Bookstore Association.

Alabama Bookstore is a firm operating two retail stores and a wholesale textbook warehouse in Tuscaloosa.

Pat Seymour

Pat Seymour, a nationally renowned speaker and widely known University of Alabama personality, will be the keynote speaker for the Commission on Support Personnel Meeting. Last year she was named to the list of top 100 motivational speakers in America by the International Platform Society.

She has degrees in English, history, English education and administration/administrative planning. She has served as Academic Advisor and recruiter for the men's athletic department at the UA and as speech writer for Coach Paul "Bear" Bryant.

Ms. Seymour retired this year as editor of publications at the Office of University Relations at UA in order to do consulting and keynote speaking full-time.

Esther Cava

Secretarial Interest Group

Esther Cava will speak to the secretarial interest group on "Stress and the New American Woman". Dr. Cava is currently an adjunct associate professor in the department of psychology at the University of Alabama.

She is a registered nurse, lawyer, author, psychologist, and teacher. She received her RN degree from St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing, Dyklytgh, Minnesota in 1937. In 1951 she received a B.A. degree from the University of Michigan and in 1952 received an M.A. degree from Boston University. She received her Ph.D. degree in clinical psychology at Ohio State University and her J.D. degree in 1984 from Temple University.

She is the author of *The Complete Question-And-Answer Book of Child Training*, 1972, general development issues in the chapter on the Role of the Physician in Prevention of Psychological Disorders in the Well Child in Nelson, *Textbook of Pediatrics*, 10th edition, 1975, 68-70, *A Pediatrician's Guide to Child Behavior Problems* (with six pediatricians as consultants), 1979.

She is a member of the American Psychological Association, and the Philadelphia Society of Clinical Psychologists.

Charles Groover

Department of Advertising and
Public Relations
The University of Alabama

Charles Groover has been a member of the faculty at the University of Alabama since 1974 when he joined the School of Communication in the department of advertising and public relations. He teaches four graphics courses offered by the University, and designed the current graphics sequence. He also designed and taught the four photography courses in the school.

During 1987 he was selected to present a portfolio at the Southeastern College Art Conference at Knoxville, Tennessee, and was selected to be one of 50 participants from 400 sub-

missions to the Fourteenth Annual HALMA Juried Exhibition. Two of Groover's works were selected for the Alabama Mississippi Bi-State Juried Exhibition in March, 1987. "Reader Recognition and Retention of Content of Newspaper Front Pages Based on Design" was submitted to the AEJMC national convention in the fall of 1987.

He is a member of the Southeastern College Art conference, the National Press Photographers Association, the Society for Photographic Education, the Association for Education in Journalism, Graphics Division, and the Tuscaloosa Advertising Club.

He will address the public relations interest group on "Improving Your Publications Through Desk-Top Printing".



Lana Silverthorn

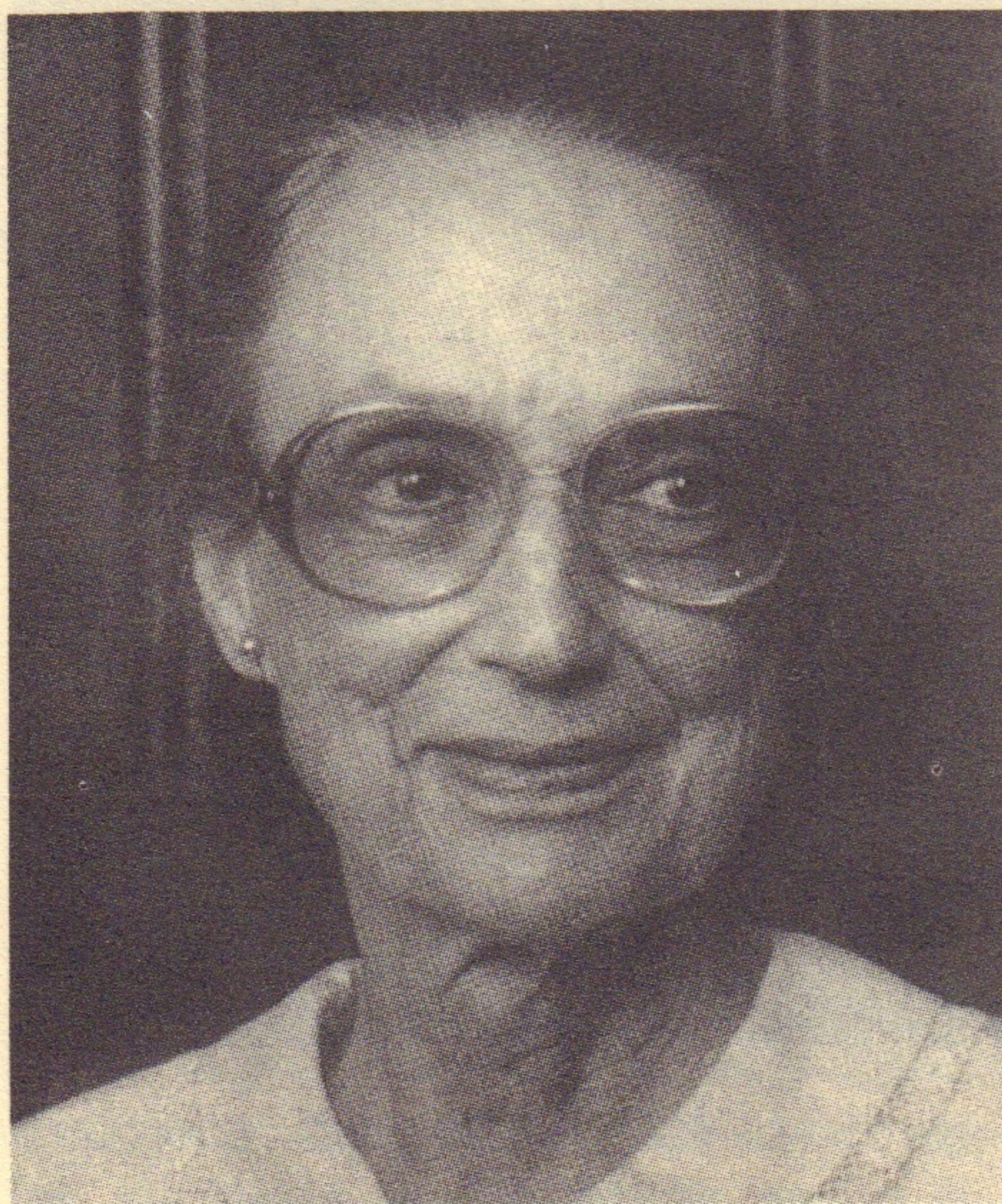
Lana Silverthorn

Director of the Writing
Program
University of South Alabama

Lana Silverthorn, a well-known authority on writing at the college level, will be the keynote speaker for the Commission on Faculty.

She will address the articulation issues regarding the new, more stringent writing requirements for upper-level students at four-year institutions in Alabama. Silverthorn plans to use part of the scheduled time to answer questions from the audience.

Silverthorn received her training from the prestigious Institute on Writing at the University of Iowa.



Mary Ward Brown

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Hemingway Award
Winning Writer

Brenda Ryan, Shelton State Community College, English interest group chairperson, has announced plans for the upcoming convention program. The program includes practical applications for improving instruction, entertainment with Readers Theatre, and meeting an outstanding Alabama author, Mary Ward Brown.

Dr. Allen Bales, Professor Emeritus, University of Alabama, will address the teachers on the subject of "Oral Interpretation in the Junior College Classroom".

The the Shelton State Readers Theatre will present selection from *Tongues of Flame*, a collection of short stories by Alabama author Mary Ward Brown.

Following the readings, the participants will have the opportunity to have a coffee break with Mrs. Brown who will be present. She will have a question-and-answer session with the audience.

Ms. Ryan says, "We are very pleased to offer this program to our colleagues across the state." Mrs. Brown has won recognition in *Best American Short Short Stories 1983* and *1984*. *Tongues of Flame* won the prestigious Hemingway Award for Best New Fiction 1986.

Social Sciences Faculty to Consider Constitutional Issues

Dr. Gary Wolfskill, Northwest Junior College, reports that social sciences convention participants will hear two outstanding speakers on the U.S. Constitution. Dr. Bill Barnard, chairperson, Department of History, University of Alabama, will speak on "Alabama's Role in Shaping the Constitution." Dr. Barnard will be joined for a discussion by panelists Dr. James Coats, Faulkner; Dr. Mark

Freshwater, Snead; and Dr. Phillip Royal, Jefferson State.

The second session will feature Dr. Wythe Holt, Professor of Law, University of Alabama School of Law, speaking on "States' Rights and Federalism." Dr. Holt will be joined by panelists Mr. Lon Alexander, Shelton; Mr. Gerald Mange, Wallace-Selma; and Dr. Ray Pulliam, Alexander City.

Alabama Junior College Library Association to Meet During AJCCA

Debbie Chaffin, Northwest Junior College in Phil Campbell, interest group chairperson for Learning Resources Center, has announced plans for the AJCCA convention. The Alabama Junior College Library Association will meet in conjunction with the convention. Participants will go to Shelton State Community College to tour the junior college library at 7:00 a.m. Friday, April 8. Shelton will provide continental breakfast for the group. The group will then move by bus to the University of Alabama

main library where the meeting will be held. Breakaway sessions from 8:30 until 10:00 a.m. will be held: Dr. Phil Turner and Dr. Gordon Coleman will discuss the newly added Ph.D. program in Library Science at the University of Alabama. Ms. Gail Baker will discuss database searching and future trends. Dr. Sue Medina will discuss networking, and Dr. Turner will discuss the state of the art of media technology.

The breakaway sessions will be followed by the keynote speaker.

Mrs. Eleanor Frelick, the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, will discuss "New SACS Criteria: Implications for Learning Resource Centers."

Ms. Chaffin says, "We are looking forward to having a productive meeting. There will be a brief business meeting from 12 noon until 12:30 p.m. for the installation of 1988-89 AJCLA officers. Please make plans to attend." For more information contact Debbie Chaffin, Northwest Junior College, Phil Campbell, AL 35581 or call her at 993-5331.

Spring Workshop Planned

The Alabama Association for Junior and Community College Chairpersons will hold its spring meeting on April 6, 1988, the Wednesday before AJCCA begins on Thursday, April 7.

The conference will be held at the Paul Bryant Conference Center in Tuscaloosa, the location of the AJCCA convention. Registration for the chairpersons meeting is \$15.00. This fee should be mailed to treasurer Cecelia Holt, P.O. Box 2216, Calhoun Community College, Decatur, AL 35602 by March 11, 1988.

Membership in the Alabama Association for Junior and Community College Chairpersons is open to all department heads and division chairpersons in the academic two-year col-

lege system. Questions about the organization or the spring conference should be directed to President,

Sharon Deck, Shelton State Community College, 202 Skyland Blvd., Tuscaloosa, AL 35404.

Schedule for Workshop Alabama Association for Junior and Community College Chairpersons

11:00-12:30 p.m.	Registration in Lobby of Paul Bryant Conference Center
1:00-2:30	Workshop session one: Managing Difficult Situations and Difficult People
2:30-3:00	Break
3:00-4:30	Workshop session two: Developing Your Leadership Style
6:30-8:00	Banquet at the University Club
8:00-9:00	Business Meeting Election of Officers

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An environment for growth, the Paul W. Bryant Conference Center and the adjacent Sheraton Capstone Inn provide the finest living and learning facilities in the Southeast. Because every organization's needs vary, meeting rooms in the Bryant Conference Center have been designed for flexible set-up, with comfortable furnishings for the adult learner. From the 10,000 sq. ft. multipurpose auditorium to the most intimate of the additional 12 break-out rooms, the Center can provide individually proportioned meeting space for your conference's needs.

Visual Arts

Larry Manning, Jefferson State Junior College, is planning the interest group for visual arts instructors. The group will meet at the Kentuck Center, an arts and crafts center in the Northport Civic Center, and will view a special exhibit: "George Orr: Presentation and Exhibition on 'The Mad Potter of Biloxi' ". They will also view the exhibit which will be on display at the Kentuck Center during April: "Alabama Crafts - Focus on Furniture" which features contemporary and traditional forms in furniture design by Alabama woodworkers.

The visual arts interest group will consist of two sessions. From 8:30 until 10:00 a.m., participants will hear Mr. John Kehoe, director of Studies Abroad at the University of Georgia, who will discuss "The Arts in Europe - Studies Abroad." Then from 10:30

until 12:00 noon, Mr. Ron Dale, University of Mississippi, will speak on "Contemporary American Ceramics."



Attention AJCCA Members!

Heritage Week in Tuscaloosa

1988 Tour of Homes

PILGRIMAGE TOUR

Friday, April 8, 1988 and
Saturday, April 9, 1988: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Sunday, April 10, 1988: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Tickets \$10.00

MUSEUM HOMES

1. Battle-Friedman Home (c. 1835), 1010 Greensboro Avenue
2. Mildred Warner (Moody Warner) (c. 1822), 1925 8th Street
3. Old Tavern (c. 1827), 28th Avenue and University Boulevard (Capitol Park)
4. Gorgas House (c. 1829), University of Alabama Campus

PRIVATE RESIDENCES

5. President's Mansion (c. 1835), University of Alabama Campus on University Boulevard
6. Chancellor's Home (c. 1908), 9 Pinehurst (Open Friday April 8, 1988 Only)
7. Dearing-Swaim Home (c. 1835), 2111 14th Street
8. Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hartley (c. 1930), 406 19th Avenue
9. Dr. Chester H. Boston, Jr. (c. 1938), 25 Patton Place
10. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy DeLoach (c. 1926), 96 The Highands

ADAPTIVE USE STRUCTURES

11. McGuire-Strickland House (c. 1820), 2828 6th Street (Capitol Park)
12. Guild-Verner (c. 1822), 1904 University Boulevard
13. Claire's (c. 1905), 1927 7th Street
14. Leopard's Interiors (c. 1906), 1409 University Boulevard

CHURCHES

15. St. John's Catholic Church (c. 1845), 800 25th Avenue (Lurleen Wallace Boulevard, N.)
16. First African Baptist Church (c. 1907), 2621 9th Street

DECORATOR TOUR

Friday, April 8, 1988 and Saturday, April 9, 1988:
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Tickets \$10.00

17. Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Mellichamp, 9 North Pinehurst, Tuscaloosa
18. Mr. and Mrs. Stan Bloom, Sharpe's Lake Road, Northport
19. Dr. and Mrs. John Buckley, 7402 Commodore Drive, N.E., Tuscaloosa
20. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wayne Duke, 8014 Harbor Avenue, N.E., Tuscaloosa
21. Mr. Roland Pugh, 3 Point Clear, Northport

CANDLELIGHT TOUR

Friday, April 8, 1988: 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Tickets \$10.00

22. Mr. Martin Ray, 1820 4th Street
23. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitts, 1810 4th Street
24. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kavanaugh, 8 Druid Court (Downstairs Only)
25. Mr. and Mrs. James LaMoreaux, 16 Audubon Place (Downstairs Only)

Advance tickets may be purchased at the above address

Ticket Order Form

Fill in and mail to Heritage Week '88, P.O. Box 1302, Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35403 by March 31st.

No. Tickets

- _____ Pilgrimage Tour (Friday & Saturday, April 8 & 9, 10 am - 4 pm and Sunday, April 10, 2-5 pm) \$10.00
- _____ Decorator Tour (Friday & Saturday, April 8 & 9, 10 am - 4 pm) \$10.00
- _____ Candlelight Tour (Friday, April 8, 7-9 pm) ... \$10.00
- _____ NorthRiver Yacht Club Luncheon and Fashion Show (noon - 2 pm)
Seating limited to 200 each day.
Friday, April 8 Saturday, April 9. \$20.00
- _____ Subscriber Ticket (Admits one person to both the Decorator and Pilgrimage Tours, and the Subscriber's Party, with a 20% discount on one Candlelight Tour ticket and one Luncheon ticket \$40.00
- _____ Subscriber's Candlelight Tour Ticket (Friday, April 8, 7-9 pm) \$ 8.00
- _____ Subscriber's NorthRiver Yacht Club Luncheon
Friday, April 8 Saturday, April 9. \$16.00
- _____ TOTAL _____ TOTAL _____

MAIL ORDER DEADLINES:

MARCH 31 - FOR ALL TICKETS

Tickets may be purchased locally at McGUIRE-STRICKLAND HOUSE, in Capitol Park (from 10 am to 2 pm); at PARISIAN, University Mall; and COLOR CORNER, McFarland Mall, on the following dates:

Candlelight Tour March 21 - April 8
Pilgrimage Tour March 21 - April 9
Decorator Tour March 21 - April 9
NorthRiver Yacht Club

Luncheons & Tours. March 21 - April 1
Subscriber Ticket March 21 - March 31

Parisian and Color Corner accepts cash or checks. Visa, Mastercard, cash or checks are accepted at the McGuire-Strickland House and with mail orders.

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CONVENTION EARLY REGISTRATION DEADLINE DATE: MARCH 15, 1988

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Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35405
Phone: (205) 553-1550

Rates: \$44.00

Quality Inn

3801 McFarland Boulevard
Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35401
Phone: (205) 556-9690

Rates: \$30.00 - Single
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Sheraton Capstone Inn

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Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35401
Phone: (205) 752-3200

Rates: \$54.00 - Double

Shoney's Inn

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Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35405
Phone: (205) 556-7950

Rates: \$29.00 - Single
\$35.00 - Double
\$ 6.00 - For Each Additional
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Ramada Inn

631 Skyland Boulevard East
Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35405
Phone: (205) 759-4431
1-800-2-RAMADA

Rates: \$28.00 - Single
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